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9 FAM 41.21 NOTES

9 FAM 41.22 NOTES

9 FAM 41.24 NOTES

1. This Change Transmittal significantly rewrites the preceding subchapters to reflect new policy guidance on certain categories of visas. Please note the movement of material below:

Old Location	Old Title	New Location	New Title
9 FAM 41.22 N3.1	Purpose of Entry and Official Duties in United States Determines Classification	9 FAM 41.22 N3	EVIDENCE OF QUALIFICATION FOR A-1 OR A-2 CLASSIFICATION: PURPOSE OF ENTRY AND OFFICIAL DUTIES IN THE UNITED STATES DETERMINES CLASSIFICATION
9 FAM 41.22 N3.2	Visa Stamped "Diplomatic" or "Official" for any Nonimmigrant	Deleted	

	Classification		
9 FAM 41.24 N2	FAMILY MEMBERS WITH EMPLOYMENT AUTHORIZATION	Deleted	
9 FAM 41.24 N3	Persons Proceeding to United Nations	9 FAM 41.24 N2	Persons Proceeding to United Nations
9 FAM 41.24 N3.1	Expeditious Processing of United Nations Visa Applications	9 FAM 41.24 N2.1	Expeditious Processing of United Nations Visa Applications
9 FAM 41.24 N3.2	Interns Temporarily Employed at United Nations	9 FAM 41.24 N2.2	Interns Temporarily Employed at United Nations
9 FAM 41.24 N3.3	Cases Involving Possible Ineligibility	9 FAM 41.24 N2.3	Cases Involving Possible Ineligibility
9 FAM 41.24 N3.4	Communications to Department	9 FAM 41.24 N2.4	Communications to Department
9 FAM 41.24 N4	Persons Destined to United Nations Secretariat	9 FAM 41.24 N3	Persons Destined to United Nations Secretariat
9 FAM 41.24 N4.1	United Nations Secretariat Employees, Their Immediate Family Members, and Attendants	9 FAM 41.24 N3.1	United Nations Secretariat Employees, Their Immediate Family Members, and Attendants
9 FAM 41.24 N4.2	Participants in United Nations Secretariat Exchange Visitor Program	9 FAM 41.24 N3.2	Participants in United Nations Secretariat Exchange Visitor Program
9 FAM 41.24 N5	Director and Teachers of United Nations	9 FAM 41.24 N4	Director and Teachers of United Nations

	International School		International School
9 FAM 41.24 N6	United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)	9 FAM 41.24 N5	United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)
9 FAM 41.24 N6.1	Issuing G-4 Visa in United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)	9 FAM 41.24 N5.1	Issuing G-4 Visa in United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)
9 FAM 41.24 N6.2	Validity of G-4 Visas for Holders of United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)	9 FAM 41.24 N5.2	Validity of G-4 Visas for Holders of United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)
9 FAM 41.24 N6.2-1	Placing G-4 Visa in United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)	9 FAM 41.24 N5.2-1	Placing G-4 Visa in United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)
9 FAM 41.24 N6.2-2	Placing Diplomatic G-4 Visa in National Passport Rather than United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)	9 FAM 41.24 N5.2-2	Placing Diplomatic G-4 Visa in National Passport Rather than United Nations Laissez-Passer (UNLP)
9 FAM 41.24 N7	Organization of American States (OAS)	9 FAM 41.24 N6	Organization of American States (OAS)
9 FAM 41.24 N7.1	Issuing G Visas to Employees of Organization of American States (OAS) General Secretariat	9 FAM 41.24 N6.1	Issuing G Visas to Employees of Organization of American States (OAS) General Secretariat
9 FAM 41.24 N7.2	Official Travel Document of Organization of American States (OAS) Not Considered	9 FAM 41.24 N6.2	Official Travel Document of Organization of American States (OAS) Not Considered

	"Passport"		"Passport"
9 FAM 41.24 N8	Participants in Courses Given by International Monetary Fund (IMF) Institute	9 FAM 41.24 N7	Participants in Courses Given by International Monetary Fund (IMF) Institute
9 FAM 41.24 N9	Participants in Economic Development Institute of International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (World Bank)	9 FAM 41.24 N8	Participants in Economic Development Institute of International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (World Bank)
9 FAM 41.24 N10	Employees of INTELSAT	9 FAM 41.24 N9	Employees of INTELSAT
9 FAM 41.24 N10.1	Definitions	9 FAM 41.24 N9.1	Definitions
9 FAM 41.24 N10.1-1	"Successor Entity"	9 FAM 41.24 N9.1-1	"Successor Entity"
9 FAM 41.24 N10.1-2	"Separated Entity"	9 FAM 41.24 N9.1-2	"Separated Entity"
9 FAM 41.24 N10.2	Employee Six Months or More Prior to Privatization Date	9 FAM 41.24 N9.2	Employee Six Months or More Prior to Privatization Date
9 FAM 41.24 N10.3	Employee of Successor or Separated Entity of INTELSAT	9 FAM 41.24 N9.3	Employee of Successor or Separated Entity of INTELSAT
9 FAM 41.24 N10.4	Immediate Family Members	9 FAM 41.24 N9.4	Immediate Family Members
9 FAM 41.24 N10.5	Domestics of Privatized INTELSAT Personnel	9 FAM 41.24 N9.5	Domestics of Privatized INTELSAT Personnel

9 FAM 41.24 N10.6	Newly Hired INTELSAT Personnel	9 FAM 41.24 N9.6	Newly Hired INTELSAT Personnel
9 FAM 41.24 N10.7	Annotating Visas of Privatized INTELSAT Employees	9 FAM 41.24 N9.7	Annotating Visas of Privatized INTELSAT Employees
9 FAM 41.24 N10.8	International Telecommunications Satellite Organization (ITSO) Personnel	9 FAM 41.24 N9.8	International Telecommunications Satellite Organization (ITSO) Personnel
9 FAM 41.24 N11	Issuing Diplomatic or Official Visas to Applicants Classifiable G-4	9 FAM 41.24 N10	Issuing Diplomatic or Official Visas to Applicants Classifiable G-4
9 FAM 41.24 N12	Issuing G-4 Visas for Transit Purposes	9 FAM 41.24 N11	Issuing G-4 Visas for Transit Purposes
9 FAM 41.24 N13	Issuing G-5 Visa to Attendants and Personal Employees	9 FAM 41.24 N12	Issuing G-5 Visa to Attendants and Personal Employees
9 FAM 41.24 N14	Issuing Visa to Applicant Entitled to Documentary Waiver	9 FAM 41.24 N13	Issuing Visa to Applicant Entitled to Documentary Waiver
9 FAM 41.24 N15	Ineligible Applicants Destined to United Nations	9 FAM 41.24 N14	Ineligible Applicants Destined to United Nations
9 FAM 41.24 N16	B Visas for United Nations Permanent Observer Mission Representatives and Dependents	9 FAM 41.24 N15	B Visas for United Nations Permanent Observer Mission Representatives and Dependents
9 FAM 41.24 N16.1	Types of Missions	9 FAM 41.24 N15.1	Types of Missions
9 FAM 41.24 N16.2	B Visa Issuance - Visa Classification for Permanent	9 FAM 41.24 N15.2	B Visa Issuance - Visa Classification for Permanent

	Observer Mission Personnel Not Entitled to A, G, C- 1, C-3, NATO Visa, or Diplomatic (Courtesy) Visa		Observer Mission Personnel Not Entitled to A, G, C- 1, C-3, NATO Visa, or Diplomatic (Courtesy) Visa
9 FAM 41.24 N16.3	Exemption from Visa Fees for United Nations Permanent Observer Mission Representatives Issued B Visas	9 FAM 41.24 N15.3	Exemption from Visa Fees for United Nations Permanent Observer Mission Representatives Issued B Visas

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